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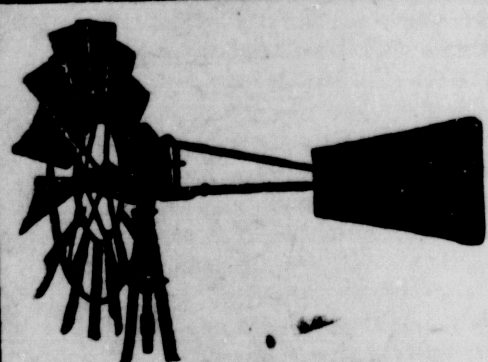
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(From The Juajilla Leaf.)

### BOYS ANNEX SECOND GAME

After a week of worrying the basket-  
ball team was sadly disappointed  
Saturday, January 8. Much trouble  
had been experienced during the week  
in keeping the team together and also  
in getting a team to make the trip, as  
a few of the boys started backsliding,  
and some were sick.

However, at one o'clock Saturday  
afternoon, six players assembled in  
front of the Armstrong Hotel ready  
for the trip to Pearsall.

Among the numerous remarks made  
concerning the game, the most repeat-  
ed one was: "I hope there won't be  
any girls at the game because my suit  
is so dirty. I wasn't expecting to  
play so I didn't have it washed."

And this wish was granted for there  
was not a single girl at the game.  
Indeed, there was no one present at  
all.

When our boys reached Pearsall  
they found to their surprise that Pear-  
sall High had no team and were not  
expecting to play basketball.

The game scheduled for that day be-  
tween Pearsall High and Hondo High  
was thus forfeited to Hondo. This is  
the second game that the Blue and  
White Quintet has to its credit.  
We have five more games to play in  
this section, before the season is over.  
Help us win these by your support.

### HOW THEY STAND.

The champion basketball team of  
this section is to be selected upon a  
percentage basis. The following is  
the standing of the teams:

| Team     | Won | Lost |
|----------|-----|------|
| Hondo    | 2   | 0    |
| Yancey   | 2   | 0    |
| Laredo   | 2   | 0    |
| Uvalde   | 1   | 1    |
| Knippa   | 0   | 2    |
| Sabinal  | 1   | 1    |
| Pearsall | 0   | 2    |
| Devine   | 0   | 2    |

### THE ANNUAL SCRAP.

New Year's Day the College and  
High School teams met on the basket-  
ball court for a game. The Hi team  
expected an early victory and the side-  
liners also expected to see a one sided  
game but their expectations were  
slightly abused. The Hi team did not  
show her colors, while the college team  
did exceedingly well, considering the  
fact that it had not played since  
New Year's Day of last year.

It was quite a surprise to see how  
the Hi team played. It had defeated  
several well trained teams by large  
scores and then let a team, that had  
practically had no practice, score on  
it as it did. From this you may  
think the college girls made a large  
score but they only made four. Their  
score does not matter as they were  
not expected to score high with no  
practice, but the measly 22 that the  
Hi team scored is shocking. To think  
that she could only score 22 against  
such a team when she had doubled  
that score against a good team. Lack  
of practice covers it all. You may  
not think it is worth while to practice,  
but just sit down and think over the  
game with the college girls and I  
think you will decide differently. These  
college girls deserve praise for the  
playing they did, while the Hi team  
deserves nothing but need of a great  
deal of practice.

The game was played in thirds, and  
it was proven again that the Hi  
team needed practice, because it could  
hardly hold out for ten minutes against  
the College girls. What would they  
do against a well trained team? We  
admire the way the College team  
fought, even to the last, knowing all  
the time that it was losing.

Referee—Mr. Howell.

| College        | LINE UP.          | High |
|----------------|-------------------|------|
|                | Jumping Center    |      |
| "Dutzie" Davis | "Bugs" Hutzler    |      |
|                | Running Center    |      |
| Bessie Brucks  | Willie Mae Gaines |      |
|                | Guards            |      |
| Mrs. Cockrell  | "Nookie" Schuehle |      |
| Anna Miller    | Erna Leinweber    |      |
|                | Forwards          |      |
| Dee Crow       | Sadie Earnest     |      |
| Bessie Earnest | Jessie Blocker    |      |

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### WHY?

Why was the annual game between  
the High School boys and Alumni not  
played this Christmas? Why was it  
that the girls had their annual game,  
while the boys failed to? Was it the  
fault of the Hi School boys or was it  
the Alumni's fault?

From every point which we can  
see it from, it was the fault of the  
Alumni. On every hand, wherever  
a High School boy suggested a game,  
the Alumni either said "no" or im-  
mediately drifted off in an opposite di-  
rection. So no football game was  
staged Christmas Day.

However, to redeem themselves,  
the Hi Quintet offered to play them a  
game New Year's Day. However,  
this offer was met with the same re-  
fusal as was the football game.

Why did the college boys refuse to  
play with us? Was it because they  
thought they were too high above the  
high school boys to meet them on the  
field? Or was it merely the fear of  
certain defeat? Perhaps it was noth-  
ing more than lack of pep.

What is the answer? We wish some  
one would please tell us.

—Juajilla Leaf.

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For a short time the prospects for  
basketball were bright indeed. Fine  
practice was held, and a big push was  
given by winning the first game. How-  
ever, since the holidays, the boys  
seem to have lost much of their former  
pep. One of the supposed main  
benefits of the holidays was to instill a  
new amount of energy or pep. How-  
ever, this supposition seems to have  
been reversed. Why is this so? Such  
a good start should not be turned  
down. All you boys should give Hon-  
do High a push toward state champion-  
ship in basketball, rather than hinder  
your school from taking this honor.  
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—Juajilla Leaf.

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### SAME OLD STORY.

Under the spreading chestnut tree a  
stubborn auto stands, and Mike (an  
angry man is he), with trouble on his  
hands. He curses softly to himself  
and crawls beneath the car, and won-  
ders why it didn't burst before it went  
so far. The carburetor seems to be  
the cause of all his woe; he tightened  
half a dozen bolts, but still it didn't  
go; and then he tries the steering  
gear and finds no trouble there, 'till  
wet with perspiration, he quits in  
sheer despair. He squats beside the  
road to give his brain a chance to cool,  
and ponders on his training at Hondo  
High School. And then he starts the  
job once more until by chance it's seen,  
the cause for all the trouble is, he's  
out of gasoline.

—Juajilla Leaf.

Next time ask for REDSKIN TUBES.

## A REVUE OF 1920.

At the beginning of the new year it  
is customary to cast our glances back  
into the year just gone and see whether  
or not life is worth living. Would  
you go through it all again? Think of  
the toils toward the last of the school  
year, when your minds wandered  
from your books to the birds, both  
feathered and otherwise, flitting about  
the yard. There are hundreds of in-  
stances of hardships, blunders, and  
rhinoceroses intersticed throughout the  
dead year, but few years can compare  
with 1920 in bringing joys to H. H. S.

When the past year began we were  
at the never-ceasing grind, counting  
the days until the mid-term, then we  
moved up one small notch and began  
counting the days in two digits,  
watching for Twenty's graduation.  
Then we burst out with our white  
Easter bonnets, and summer was with  
us.

One of the first memorable events  
of 1920 was the birth of this paper,  
"The Juajilla Leaf." The Seniors  
'20 saw their hopes for a year-book  
fading, but they refused to lose heart,  
and turned to this paper as a balm  
for their broken hearts.

A second event, was the organiza-  
tion of the first basketball team in  
four years. Although the season  
could not be called successful, it gave  
promise for an excellent team in 1921.

A third and important incident was  
the Medina County Interscholastic  
Meet, the first to be carried out in  
three years. In this meet Hondo High  
was gloriously successful, winning all  
but five first places and capturing 217  
points out of a grand total of 382.

In the District Meet, Hondo High,  
with ten entrants, took third place.  
Then the staff of this year's paper  
was elected, all of last year's Juniors  
promising to "carry on." After this  
the days were short until the final  
examination came, then commence-  
ment week.

Then Twenty shoved off, sheepskins  
in hand. And throughout the vacation  
prospects for the next school year  
were discussed.

We resumed the strife in September,  
and then excitement galore—football,  
basketball, parties, banquets and  
hops! In football, Hi was not as suc-  
cessful as she had been the preceding  
year, however, it was a great season.  
And coming up from under the pile—  
tromping over Sabinal and Uvalde like  
old-timers—they made a stellar ending.  
The girls were in the game through-  
out—their basketball team being the  
best coached and most efficient team  
Hondo High has ever seen. They won  
every game by completely outclassing  
their opponents.

Some may regard the new year as  
a bothersome detail to remember when  
dating their papers, and some may  
think, "Just another High School Al-  
manac," but the year before us is  
here, so fill it with H. H. S. victories,  
love, song and laughter.

—Juajilla Leaf.

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are bilious or constipated, or your  
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### PARENT-TEACHERS' AS- SOCIATION MEETING.

The Mothers Club held a very inter-  
esting meeting Monday, January 10.  
A large number of members was  
present. The banner was given to  
the third grade. The winning of this  
banner depends upon the number of  
mothers present for each child in a  
grade.

The main feature of the meeting was  
an address, given by Mrs. J. B. Hurt,  
on "Child Welfare." This lecture  
proved to be very interesting, and was  
well received by the club.

After attending to the business of  
the club, refreshments of sandwiches  
and hot chocolate were served by Mrs.  
E. R. Leinweber, Mrs. R. H. Hud-  
suth and Mrs. F. S. Cockrell.

Mary had a piece of gum  
She chewed it long and slow  
And everywhere that Mary went  
That gum was sure to go.

It followed her to school one day  
Which was against the rules  
Her teacher took it away from her  
And chewed it after school.

When the donkey saw the zebra,  
He began to switch his tail;  
"Well, I never!" was his comment,  
"There's a mule that's been in jail."

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Little bolts from class,  
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How some pupils pass.

—Juajilla Leaf.

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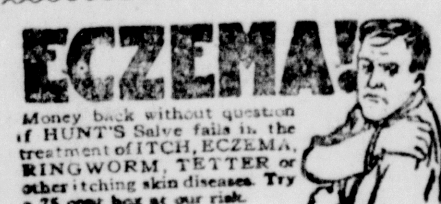
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No. 102 (limited) due..... 1:42 a. m.  
No. 8 due..... 9:20 a. m.  
No. 110 due..... 6:18 p. m.  
No. 228 (Jitney) due..... 3:05 a. m.

WEST BOUND

No. 101 (limited) due..... 6:22 a. m.  
No. 7 due..... 12:55 p. m.  
No. 109 due..... 9:22 p. m.  
No. 227 (Jitney) due..... 1:05 a. m.

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# Our Castroville Page

## Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, JANUARY 13, 1921

ED. HUEHNER, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

The sad news reached us Saturday morning, stating that Mr. Henry Kempf had fallen from his wagon at the Lytle gin, and had had the misfortune to break his neck. Deceased used to be a resident of Castroville and has many friends here. We join in sympathy with the bereaved and grief-stricken family. May he rest in peace.

News reached here Tuesday of the death of Mrs. Theresa Howard (nee Gast) which occurred at her home in Del Rio. Mrs. Howard was well known here, was born and raised here and has many friends here who sympathize with her children.

The wedding of Miss Charlotte Miller, daughter of Mrs. Mary Miller, of Rabbit Ranch, and Paul Koch of D'Hanis, took place Monday morning, at 8 o'clock, in the Catholic Church, Rev. A. Heckman officiating. The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller. After the ceremony a dinner was served at the home of the bride's mother. Mr. and Mrs. Koch will make their home at D'Hanis.

Horse Races at Castroville on Monday, Jan. 17, 1921, at 2 o'clock p. m. Main Race, Capt. L. W. Burell's dun horse, "Dan", vs. Albert F. Haller's Moody horse, "No-man's-friend".

Carpenters Jno. W. Hans, E. A. Mechler and Sam Etter are erecting a neat and commodious residence for Mr. Wm. Burell on the Burell ranch.

Messrs. A. C. Wurzbach of Riomedina, Otto Wurzbach of and Rev. Walter Kralik and Louis Fuos of this place were San Antonio business visitors last Monday.

Miss Bertha Ahr returned one day last week from a several days' visit to her friend, Miss Alice Droitcourt, of Lacoste.

Grand Dance at the Empire Opera House at Castroville on Monday night, Jan. 17th, 1921. Willett's Orchestra will furnish the music. Come one, come all, and enjoy yourselves.

Misses Asela Haby and Laura and Lillie Schuehle, of Riomedina, and Alice Droitcourt of Lacoste spent Sunday with Miss Bertha Ahr.

Mr. J. E. Mueller sold his baker's outfit to Aug. Gerloff.

Eugen Mangold, Joe Naegelin and Andrew Halberdier were San Antonio visitors this week.

Mrs. Robert Groff and Misses Laura and Jola Schuehle were here from Storm Hill visiting Mrs. Fritz J. Etter.

Misses Gertrude, Cornelia and Ruth and Master George B. Noonan, Jr., spent Sunday with their grandmother, Mrs. C. B. Noonan, in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Haby of Riomedina were shopping here Friday.

Louie Burell was a San Antonio visitor one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer, Mrs. Robert de Montel and son, Oscar, spent Sunday below Devine.

Miss Rosa Halberdier returned to San Antonio after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Eugen Halberdier.

Miss Melonie Hueser spent Sunday in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Tschirhart and family moved on the Sturm farm below Dunlay this week, where they will reside.

Louie Meyer of Sturm Hill was a visitor here Sunday.

Dr. T. C. Whitehead and C. R. Littlefield were off several days of the past week on a business trip to Mexico.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tschirhart was christened at St. Louis Church Sunday. The names given the little man are Milton Thomas Samuel. Sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Droitcourt.

Mrs. Joe Riediger Jr. and Mrs. Albert Kempf Sr. and son, Alfred, and Miss Annie Kempf visited in San Antonio Thursday.

Louie Tschirhart and son, Ed, were San Antonio visitors Thursday.

Chas. Wurzbach and daughter, Miss Katie, of Loma Alto Ranch were shopping here Wednesday.

John Stricker and son, John Jr., of San Antonio visited Mrs. M. Fuos and daughter, Miss Emma, here Wednesday.

Mrs. Joe Keller spent several days in San Antonio this week.

Mesdames Albert Pichot of Uvalde and Frank Schweers of Hondo visited Mesdames Joe and Willie Brieden here Thursday.

E. B. Haegelin of Yellow Banks was trading here Saturday.

Mrs. Nick Tschirhart and three children of San Antonio were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Franger here this week.

Mrs. Robert Louis FitzSimon and children of San Antonio are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. T. FitzSimon for two weeks.

Louie Shorp of Riomedina was a visitor here the middle of the week.

Joe Geant and sister, Miss Alice, of French Settlement were shopping here Thursday.

Ed Sitter and Tony Forst were San Antonio visitors during the week.

Mrs. Emil Kaufman and daughter, Miss Mary, of Red Wing were guests of Mrs. August Tschirhart this week.

John Schuehle and Sterl Haby of Sturm Hill were visitors here Friday.

Mrs. August Wurzbach and daughters, Mrs. Chas. Haby and Miss Amanda Wurzbach, of French Settlement were shopping here Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Kuntz and daughter, Miss Lucile, were here from Lacoste Tuesday.

Henry Boehme of Riomedina was trading here Tuesday.

We are glad to report that Mr. August Wurzbach has improved enough to return home from the hospital. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Haby a 10 lb. boy, January 11, 1921.

The flirt of today will be the old maid of tomorrow, maybe.

The Catarrh That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, JR.

## OH, DEAR! MY BACK!

Merciful Heavens, how my back hurts in the morning!" It's all due to an over-abundance of that poison called uric acid. The kidneys are not able to get rid of it. Such conditions you can readily overcome, and prolong life by taking "Anuric" (anti-uric-acid). This can be obtained at almost any drug store, in tablet form.

When your kidneys get sluggish and clog, you suffer from backache, sick-headache, dizzy spells, or twinges and pains of lumbago, rheumatism or gout; or sleep is disturbed two or three times a night, get Dr. Pierce's Anuric, it will put new life into your kidneys and your entire system. Send Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., ten cents for trial package.

STROUD, OKLA.—"I suffered for a year with kidney trouble. I saw Dr. Pierce's advertisement and wrote for a trial package of 'Anuric.' It helped me so I went to the drug store and bought a supply of Dr. Pierce's medicines. The 'Golden Medical Discovery' and the 'Pleasant Pellets' cured me of bowel trouble, and the 'Anuric' of the kidney trouble and rheumatism. I am cured—can do my work and it does not hurt me at all."—MRS. MARY JANE FISHER, Route 5.

## OFFICIAL NOTICE.

Term examinations will begin on Monday, Jan. 17th, and extend through the entire school week for the High School, and until Friday in all the lower grades but first and second, as they will have no examinations, but will begin their second term's work on Friday, Jan. 21st. Promotions in the first six grades will be made on Friday, Jan. 21st, and on that day those grades will have their regular class work. Teachers in the first six grades will be allowed to prepare their own schedule for examinations and will be given four days to complete their work, as class work begins on Friday, Jan. 21st.

In all grades and High school, exemptions will be allowed to the child on all subjects, but English, that he or she receives an average of 90, and whose deportment is 90.

Teachers will be expected to report at the regular time, which is 8:30 in the morning and 1:45 in the afternoon, and grading of papers during school hours will be done at the school building.

Examinations will begin at 9:00 every morning and close at 12:00 on that same morning. Pupils will be expected to keep their seats in the examination room until properly dismissed.

Subjects that pupils will be exempted in will be announced on Friday, Jan. 14th.

Teachers will submit all examination questions to Superintendent for approval as many as two days before that examination is held.

Examination papers will be returned to pupils at the proper time after grading, but papers that are to be kept on file, which are to be submitted to the State Department, will be returned by pupils.

Regular examination paper will be used in all grades and with pen and ink. All forms at the tops of each page must be filled out correctly and neatly. Parents are encouraged to buy fountain pens for pupils as they are more economical.

Teachers in the grades will confer with Superintendent about promotions before Friday, Jan. 21, and the High school faculty will meet in the Principal's room on Friday, Jan. 21st, at 3 p. m. on important business. Grading of papers must have been completed before these meetings.

Pupils promoted from one grade to another must check in all books to that teacher and be issued a new set by the new teacher. Teachers must be more careful about seeing that all books have book covers and that those books which have been mistreated be paid for. Parents are asked to encourage and insist that pupils take good care of books as the authorities do not like to ask parents to pay for books, but only do so when compelled to.

Examinations in Junior and Senior High School will continue throughout the week and the examination schedule is as follows:

Monday, Jan. 17th:  
Math.—2; Math.—4; Eng.—3; 7th Hist.; Span.—1.  
Tuesday, Jan. 18th:

Gov.—3 and 4; 7th Math; Hist.—2; Span.—3 and 4; Eng.—1.  
Wednesday, Jan. 19th:  
Math.—3; Eng.—4; Math.—1; 7th Physiology; Span.—2.  
Thursday, Jan. 20th:  
7th Eng.; Eng.—2; Hist.—1; Science—4.  
Friday, Jan. 21st:  
Science—1; Hist.—3.  
(Signed) J. D. HOWELL.

## THE HOLIDAYS.

The first appearance of the holiday spirit was in the home-coming of the boys and girls from their respective colleges. With their coming the school was enlivened by their visits. Hondo Hi is proud indeed of the students she has in college and is always glad to welcome them back to their alma mater. Though we heard quite a few of them say, "Isn't old Hondo a dull town," we notice they were all anxious to get back, and right glad was old Hondo to have them home again. There were a number of entertainments given during the holidays, and most of them were in honor of the college students.

On Christmas night Mrs. J. S. Fly entertained a number of young people in honor of Miss Ruth, who was home from Westmoorland College. Progressive games were played and several interesting contests were enjoyed. Refreshments consisting of hot chocolate and cake were served, and at a late hour the crowd dispersed, each one declaring they had indeed had a merry Christmas.

On Tuesday, Dec. 28, Sidney Fly entertained the Senior Class of 1920 with a six o'clock dinner. The house was beautifully decorated in Christmas decorations, and in one room the class colors of purple and gold were in evidence, but the most beautiful of all was the heavily laden dining table that was groaning under its burden of good things to eat. Turkey, salads, sauces, cakes, and pies, and just everything good that it takes to make a fine turkey dinner, was enjoyed. After the dinner progressive games were played until a late hour.

On Wednesday night Misses Florence and Evelyn Lacy entertained in their home six miles from town. A large number of guests were present to enjoy the hospitality of this beautiful suburban home.

The Senior Epworth League gave their usual Christmas entertainment at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fly on Thursday night, Dec. 30. Quite a number of games and contests were enjoyed by all. Refreshments, consisting of hot chocolate and sandwiches, were served to about forty guests.

The Senior class of the Baptist Sunday School was entertained at the beautiful little home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Beal on Friday night, Dec. 31. Quite a large crowd gathered and enjoyed the progressive games and the delicious refreshments, which consisted of fruit salad, hot tea, and sandwiches.

Saturday afternoon Mrs. D. H. Fly gave an open-house party from 3:30 to 6 o'clock, honoring her Sunday School class. Quite a number of young men and young ladies enjoyed the afternoon in this home. Hot tea and wafers were served during the afternoon.

On New Year's night the girls gave a Leap Year dance at the auditorium, honoring the boys. Homen's Orchestra furnished the music. Refreshments consisting of hot chocolate and sandwiches were served between the hours of eleven and twelve, after which the young people tripped the light fantastic to the strains of the beautiful music until the "wee small hours".

Two Irishmen who had just landed in this country had taken rooms in one of the downtown hotels in New York. In the middle of the night they were awakened by a great noise in the street. One of the Irishmen got up and looked out of the window. Two fire engines were along belching smoke and fire and leaving a trail of sparks.

"Phawt is ut?" asked the chap who remained in bed.

"They're moving hell," said the man at the window, "and two loads have just gone by."

## Gunter Hotel

San Antonio, Texas

A place to stop at worth while

The Home of all Texans

PERCY TYRRELL, MANAGER.

## LIFE.

I knew a man who had a great longing to be well thought of by all who knew him. He was poor, and everyone said it was because he was a bad manager, and that hurt his feelings so that he hustled around and got rich, and everyone said meaningly: "How did he get it?"

He went in for local politics, and people observed that he was in for what he could get out of it, so he kept out of politics, and everyone said that he was no good as a citizen. At first he couldn't give to charity, and was called a tightwad, but later on when he gave liberally, people said it was just to show off. He was active in the church until he heard people saying he was a hypocrite, when he dropped out, and was thereafter pointed to as a backslider and hardened sinner. Showing affection gained him the reputation of being soft, and when he retired into himself and hid his feelings, he was regarded as a cold-blooded brute. He died rather young, so people said he had a great future and it was too bad he hadn't lived, but if he had lived to old age they would have said he had neglected great opportunities and might as well not have lived at all. So I reckon I'll just do as I darn please, myself, and then at least one person will approve of me.

—Selected.

Judge: "Prisoner, you are charged with assaulting this woman."

Prisoner: "I deny it. I merely said I didn't like her apartment."

Judge: "Ten days in jail for knocking her flat."

—Brackenridge Times.

## Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

by LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly induced by constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will cure catarrh. It is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Druggists &c. Testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

## Notice to Tax Payers

The Tax Collector and Tax Assessor of Medina County will be at the places named below for the purpose of collecting State and County Taxes for 1920, and taking Assessments for 1921.

|             |                           |
|-------------|---------------------------|
| Quihi       | Jan 10th, 12 to 4 p. m.   |
| Yancey      | " 11th, 12 to 4 p. m.     |
| D'Hanis     | " 13th and 14th "         |
| Castroville | " 17th, 18th and 19th "   |
| Cliff       | " 20th, 12 to 4 p. m.     |
| Riomedina   | " 21, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. |
| Dunlay      | " 24, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. |
| Lacoste     | " 25 and 26th, "          |

Respectfully,

F. G. Muennink, Collector.

L. E. Heath, Tax Assessor.

## Want a Business Education

If you are contemplating attending a Business College it will pay you to see or write

## FLETCHER DAVIS

Hondo, Texas

He can sell you a scholarship in one of the leading Business Colleges of the State at a material saving. Before making your final arrangements be sure and

## Investigate This Office

## WILL BUY BOOKS FOR CASH

Libraries of all kinds wanted—large or small. Also books and desks—in fact anything belonging to the office. We always have bargains in this line. Call or write us if you have a book of any kind. LAW BOOKS AND TEXAS HISTORY a specialty. Also RARE and OUT-OF-DATE BOOKS. We can handle MILITARY BOOKS of all kinds—in fact, any

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## Pains Were Terrific

Read how Mrs. Albert Gregory, of R. F. D. No. 1, Blufford, Ill., got rid of her ills. "During the winter I was awfully weak. My pains were terrific. I thought I would die. The bearing-down pains were actually so severe I could not stand the pressure of my hands on the lower part of my stomach. I simply felt as if life was for but a short time. My husband was worried. One evening, while reading the Birthday Almanac, he came across a case similar to mine, and went straight for some Cardui for me to try.

## TAKE

## CARDUI

The Woman's Friend

"I took it faithfully and the results were immediate," adds Mrs. Gregory. "I continued to get better. All my ills left me, and I went through life with no further trouble. My baby was fat and strong, and myself—thank God—am once more hale and hearty, can walk miles, do my work, though 44 years old, feel like a new person. All I owe to Cardui." For many years Cardui has been found helpful in building up the system when run down by disorders peculiar to women.

## Take Cardui

habitual Constipation Cured in 14 to 21 Days

"I -FOS WITH PEPSIN" is a unique Syrup Tonic-Laxative for Constipation. It relieves promptly, should be taken regularly for 14 to 21 days to induce regular action. It Stimulates, Regulates. Very Pleasant to Take per bottle.



**Mrs. James E. Merriman.**  
Long and useful life came to a close at 8:45 Friday evening, January 1921, when Mrs. James E. Merriman fell asleep at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. H. Crow, after a long illness. Deceased had lived beyond the period of life usually allotted to a human being, and had she lived to the 30th day of the coming year she would have completed her 74th birthday.

Madame Goodson Richardson was a native of Texas, being born at Palestine, Anderson County, March 30th, 1846, and had spent her entire life in that state; in 1870 she moved to her parents to DeWitt County, where after one year's residence, there followed the social meeting and the awarding of the banner to the third grade. Mrs. R. H. Hudspeth, who was assisted by Mrs. Horace Bradley, Mrs. Ernest Leinweber, Mrs. F. S. Cockrell and Mrs. R. J. Noonan served lovely refreshments of hot chocolate and sandwiches.

**Ernest W. Brucks on Honor Roll.**  
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Approximately three hundred students in the College of Arts are mentioned on this honor list, in the compilation of which account is taken of both the grades made and the number of courses taken. Also, freshmen are entitled to mention with a slightly smaller score than that required of other students, since the average freshman grade is lower than the average for upper-classes.

**Epworth League Program.**  
Leader—Willie D. Fly.  
Subject "Self Control."  
Hymn.  
Prayer.  
Scripture references.  
Announcements.  
Scripture lesson, read by leader.  
Talk, Helps on the lesson.  
Explaining the Scripture lesson—by Elizabeth Fly.  
Talk, Be temperate in all things.  
The secret of self control—by Lucile Woolfs.  
Hymn.  
Epworth League Benediction.

her aged consort to whom she so long been a close companion, who is now bowed in grief over departure, and to her stricken children who are grieved over the first link in the family circle, the Anvil said, in connection with a host of friends extends sincere condolence in this hour of deep sorrow.

uto tops re-covered at Eugen Hues-49

**Parent-Teachers' Association.**  
The regular meeting of the Association was held Monday, Jan. 10. Mrs. R. Chancey, the president, opened with the reading of the creed.

A short business session was held in which a few very interesting points were brought out. One was deciding on Parents Day to be held February 1. On that day the parents are at liberty to visit the school. Another, the favorable financial report from the recital given by Miss Crider.

Mrs. J. B. Hurt was gracious enough to give the ladies a very profitable talk on Child Welfare; which was very interesting and much appreciated by all.

Then followed the social meeting and the awarding of the banner to the third grade. Mrs. R. H. Hudspeth, who was assisted by Mrs. Horace Bradley, Mrs. Ernest Leinweber, Mrs. F. S. Cockrell and Mrs. R. J. Noonan served lovely refreshments of hot chocolate and sandwiches.

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**"LET THEM CALL ON ME" STATES HAYS.**  
Is Glad To Tell Anyone How Tanlac Built Him Up After The "Flu".

"I didn't think I would ever be a well man again, but Tanlac has certainly built me up and given me fine health," said James S. Hays, living at the corner of Shawnee Roads and Coy street, Kansas City, Kansas.

"Several weeks ago I had a severe case of 'flu' and after I got up I found myself in a weak and run-down condition. My legs felt like they would give way and I could hardly stand up. I was badly constipated and was continually having splitting headaches and awful dizzy spells. My stomach was all out of order. I would bloat all up with gas that would press in close around my heart and nearly shut my breath off entirely. I had such severe pains across the small of my back it was almost impossible for me to sleep.

"One day my foreman advised me to try Tanlac and before I had finished half of my first bottle my appetite got a new start and I was feeling better and stronger. And now I have taken four bottles and I eat like a bear and am never troubled afterwards at all. My constipation has been entirely relieved and am free from those headaches and dizzy spells. The pains have left my back and I sleep like a log every night. I have gained eight or nine pounds in weight have been built up in every way and am working hard every day. My health is better than it has been for years, and if anybody wants to know what I think of Tanlac tell them to call on me."

Tanlac is sold in Hondo by W. H. Windrow; in Castroville by Joseph Courand & Co.; and in Dunlay by Louis A. Baby; and by all leading druggists.

**Program Junior League.**  
3 p. m. Jan. 16.  
Bible Lesson Col. 4, 2-18.  
Leader—Marguerite Newton.  
Song.  
Prayer.  
Roll Call, answered with Bible verse.  
Bible Story—Elizabeth Wilson.  
Story—"Pippa Passes"—Marietta Fly.  
Bible verses on the letters in Love and Faith.  
Song.  
Close with 1st Psalm.

**Catholic Church.**  
Sunday: 9:30—High Mass and Sermon.  
10:30—Catechism Class.  
7:30 p. m.—Rosary and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.  
Holy Mass on week days at 8:00 a. m.

**Notice.**  
Your credit is good.  
CITY TAILOR SHOP,  
Phone 125.

**St. Joseph Catholic Will Build This Year.**  
The St. Joseph congregation has begun work, now quarrying and hauling white limestone. The old building is to be moved across the street, near the priest's home, and the new church which is to be of white limestone and cost about \$10,000 is to be built where the present frame structure stands.—Devine News.

**Notice to Ice Customers.**  
Ice will be sold Sundays from 5 to 9:30 a. m. during winter months.  
HONDO LIGHT POWER & ICE CO.

The Misses Emma and Elsie Sauer spent the Christmas holidays at home with their parents and sister, Adele. They hold good positions in the office, Headquarters Houston and Brownsville R. R., at Kingsville.—Brackettville News-Mail.

**LET CARTER CLEAN YOUR CLOTHES.** PHONE 179  
Guaranteed Razors, Holloway Bros.  
Mrs. V. A. Crow of Hondo visited her father here this week.—Devine News.

Garden Hose at Holloway Bros.

Harry: "I can tell you how much water runs over Niagara Falls to a quart."  
Charles: "How much?"  
Harry: "Two pints." J. L.

**Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.**  
Albert and Robbie Baumer and Misses Zettie D. Harper and Mabel Johnson went to Sabinal Friday evening and to Hondo.  
Mrs. Harold Baldwin and daughter, Elizabeth, spent last Friday and Saturday visiting in Hondo.  
Miss Phoebe Jo Gibson went to Yancy Sunday evening to resume teaching after spending the holidays here at home.

Next time ask for REDSKIN TUBES.

**GETTING BACK.**  
Let us all get back to working, back to earning honest rocks, back to baking, painting, clerking, back to winding eight-day clocks. Long enough we've whooped and clamored, making all the welkins ring; long enough we've knocked and hammered every sane and useful thing. If we'd all get back to toiling like a bunch of earnest men, industries now dead and spoiling would be cutting grass again. There would be a trade revival that simply beat the band, and a boom without a rival in the annals of this land. There would be no idle pulley, smoke would come from every stack, if we'd be less wild and woolly, if we'd hit the old time track. Let's get back to useful labor, as we labored long ago, peeling onions with a saber, sawing firewood with a toe. Let us all resume our knitting, make the shining needles fly, working blithely, no admitting any "agitator" guy. Let us darn the socks and mittens, prune the hedge and shear the cow, hunt the eggs and drown the kittens—let us all get busy now.

Juajilla Leaf.

**Money at 5 1/2 Per Cent Interest**  
Plenty money to lend on farms at 5 1/2 per cent interest (plus 1 per cent on principal), from \$100 to \$10,000 at 5 to 35 years time, no renewals. The best law ever enacted by Congress for small land owner to help himself. Ask for particulars.  
H. E. Haass,  
Hondo, Texas.  
at Court House.

**Real Estate for Sale.**  
170 acres, well improved and watered.  
160 acres, well improved and watered.  
160 acres, well improved and watered.  
110 acres, well improved and watered.  
640 acres, well improved and watered.  
Also five to seven Teams, Implementations, Wagons, etc.  
W. B. ODOM,  
Hondo, Texas.  
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**Notice to the Public.**  
After January 1st I am compelled to sell and labor for cash only.  
Yours truly,  
P. H. RENKEN.

**No Worms in a Healthy Child**  
All children troubled with Worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will cure it. It improves the digestion, and acts as a general strengthening tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or diaspel the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

**Ralph Windrow on Honor Roll**  
Austin, Texas, Jan.—On the fall term honor roll of the College of Engineering, University of Texas, appears the name of Ralph S. Windrow of Hondo. He is ranked as among the best two percent in scholastic standing in that department.

For this honor roll both quantity and quality of work is considered, and students coming within the best ten percent are classified as ranking in the best one percent, two percent, etc. Similar honor rolls are compiled and at the end of every term in the College of Arts and the Law School, also, but these have not yet been issued for the winter term.

**For Sale.**  
Registered Polled Shorthorn Bulls of my own breeding, range raised and tick immune; also a few registered Herefords.  
M. G. MICHAELIS,  
Kyle, Texas.

**For Sale.**  
Frost proof Cabbage Plants, 500 \$1.50, 1000 \$2.50, postpaid. 1000 \$2.00, 10,000 \$1.50 per 1000, Express collect.  
KINSEY WHOLESALE PLANT CO.,  
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**Notice to Ford Owners.**  
Buy a gas saver with combination lock that will secure your car against theft.  
J. G. NEWTON,  
Agent.  
Wagon Sheets—Holloway Bros.

Senior: "Only fools are positive; wise men hesitate."  
Fish: "Are you sure?"  
Senior: "I'm positive."

V. H.—"I wrote a ballad on my cuff the other day, what shall I do with it?"  
Harry—"Send it to the laundry."

"Did your watch stop when you dropped it on the floor last night?"  
"Sure, did you think it would go through?"  
Juajilla Leaf.

No. 113  
Official Statement of the Financial Condition of  
**THE HONDO STATE BANK**  
at Hondo, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 29th day of December, 1920, published in the Anvil Herald a newspaper printed and published at Hondo, State of Texas, on the 15th day of January, 1921.

**RESOURCES**  
Loans and discounts, personal or collateral \$123,722.00  
Loans, real estate 17,400.00  
Overdrafts 2,294.42  
Bonds and Stocks 10,838.00  
Real estate (banking house) 6,000.00  
Furniture and fixtures 2,143.00  
Due from other banks and bankers, and cash on hand 25,853.07  
Interest in Depositors' guaranty fund 3,647.55  
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund 177.54  
\$197,073.15

**LIABILITIES**  
Capital stock paid in \$30,000.00  
Surplus fund 15,000.00  
Undivided profits, net 4,212.43  
Individual deposits subject to check 127,861.12  
Bills payable and Rediscounts 20,000.00  
\$197,073.55

**STATE OF TEXAS,**  
County of Medina: We, E. R. Leinweber as president, and H. F. King as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
E. R. LEINWEBER, President.  
H. F. KING, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 8th day of January, A. D. 1921.  
AUGUST HORNUNG,  
Notary Public, Medina County, Texas.

Correct—Attest:  
D. H. FLY,  
P. JUNGWALD,  
CLAUDE W. GILLIAM,  
Directors

arter No. 5765 Reserve District No. 11  
Report of Condition of  
**The First National Bank**  
of Hondo, at Hondo, in the State of Texas  
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DECEMBER 29th, 1920

| RESOURCES   |              |              |
|---|--------------|--------------|
| Loans and discounts, including rediscounts (except those shown in b and c)  | \$257,351.99 |              |
| *Total loans  | 257,351.99   | \$251,351.99 |
| DEDUCT:   |              |              |
| Notes and bills rediscounted with Federal Reserve Bank (other than bank acceptances sold (see Item 54a)                                 | 7,000.00     | 7,000.00     |
|   |              | 250,351.99   |
| Overdrafts—secured, None; unsecured, \$2,842.29   |              | 2,842.29     |
| U. S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES OWNED:  |              |              |
| Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)   | 50,000.00    |              |
| Owned and unpledged   | 12,437.58    | 62,437.58    |
| Total U. S. Government securities   |              | 2,200.00     |
| Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)   |              | 5,000.00     |
| Value of Banking house owned and unincumbered   | 5,000.00     | 23,016.79    |
| Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank  |              | 33,841.29    |
| Cash in vault and net amounts due from National Banks   |              | 458.75       |
| Total of Items 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16   |              | 2,500.00     |
| Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items  |              | 311.96       |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer   |              | \$382,960.56 |
| Interest earned but not collected—approximate—on Notes and Bills Receivable not past due  |              |              |
| Total   |              | \$50,000.00  |
| LIABILITIES   |              |              |
| Capital stock paid in   |              | 22,000.00    |
| Surplus fund  | 8,842.33     | 2,389.60     |
| Undivided profits   | 5,852.73     | 4,092.57     |
| Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid   |              | 47,200.00    |
| Interest and discount collected or credited in advance of maturity and not earned (approximate)   |              | 20,000.00    |
| Circulating notes outstanding   |              | 235,886.42   |
| Net amounts due to national banks   | 20,000.00    | 328.61       |
| Total of items 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32   |              | 236,215.03   |
| Individual deposits subject to check  |              | 463.36       |
| Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)  |              |              |
| Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 33, 34, 35, 36, 37 and 38                                 |              | \$382,960.56 |
| Liabilities other than above stated   |              | 7,000.00     |
| TOTAL   |              | 7,000.00     |
| Liabilities for rediscounts with Federal Reserve Bank (see Item 1d)   |              |              |
| Total contingent liabilities (54 a, b, c, and d) not including items in Schedule 23 of report   |              |              |
| County of Medina, ss:   |              |              |
| Horace Bradley, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. |              |              |
| HORACE BRADLEY, Cashier.  |              |              |
| Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 13th day of January, 1921.  |              |              |
| A. M. LAMM,<br>Notary Public in and for Medina county, Texas.   |              |              |
| Correct—Attest:   |              |              |
| ED. DE MONTEL,<br>AUGUST KEMPF,<br>J. M. FINGER,<br>Directors   |              |              |

**Catholic Church.**  
Sunday: 9:30—High Mass and Sermon.  
10:30—Catechism Class.  
7:30 p. m.—Rosary and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.  
Holy Mass on week days at 8:00 a. m.

**Notice.**  
Your credit is good.  
CITY TAILOR SHOP,  
Phone 125.

**St. Joseph Catholic Will Build This Year.**  
The St. Joseph congregation has begun work, now quarrying and hauling white limestone. The old building is to be moved across the street, near the priest's home, and the new church which is to be of white limestone and cost about \$10,000 is to be built where the present frame structure stands.—Devine News.

**Notice to Ice Customers.**  
Ice will be sold Sundays from 5 to 9:30 a. m. during winter months.  
HONDO LIGHT POWER & ICE CO.

The Misses Emma and Elsie Sauer spent the Christmas holidays at home with their parents and sister, Adele. They hold good positions in the office, Headquarters Houston and Brownsville R. R., at Kingsville.—Brackettville News-Mail.

**LET CARTER CLEAN YOUR CLOTHES.** PHONE 179  
Guaranteed Razors, Holloway Bros.  
Mrs. V. A. Crow of Hondo visited her father here this week.—Devine News.

Garden Hose at Holloway Bros.

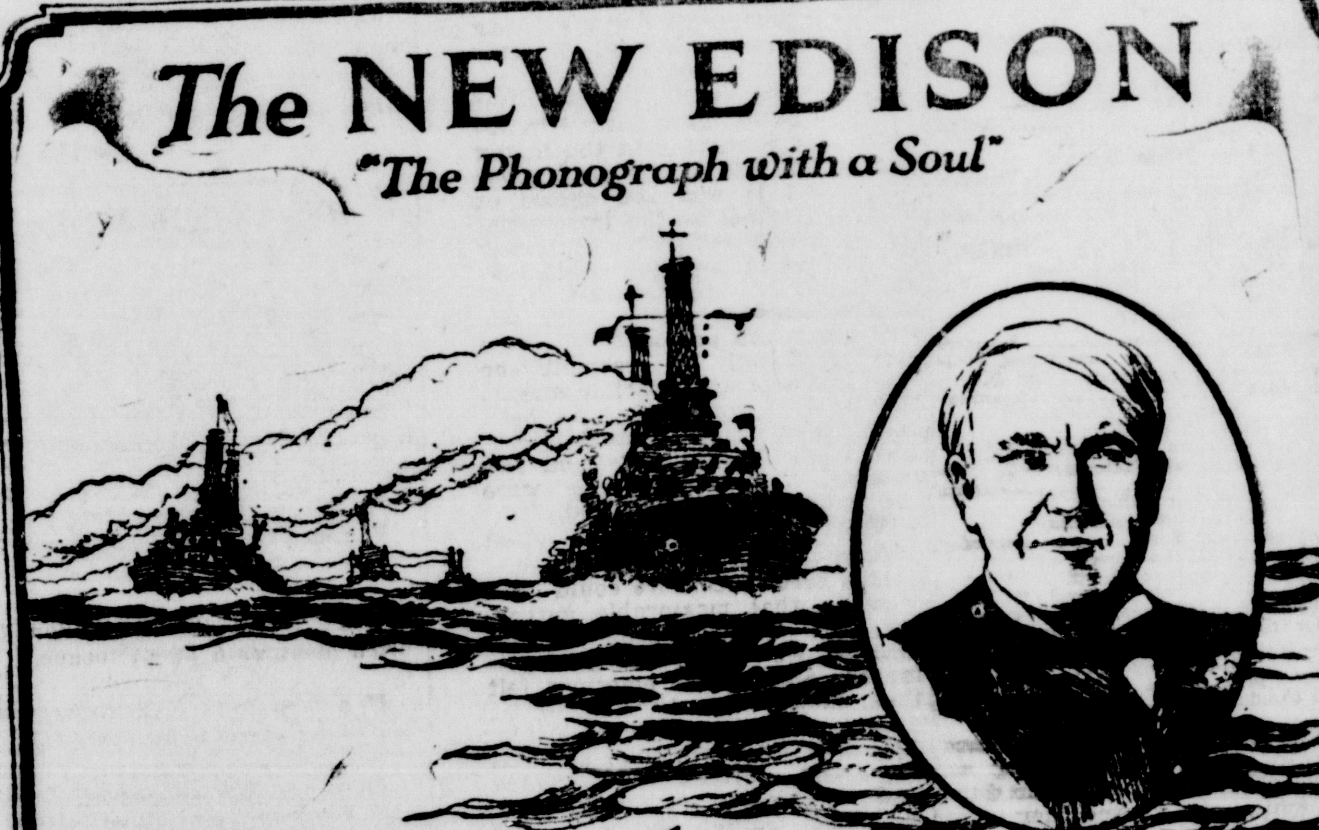
Harry: "I can tell you how much water runs over Niagara Falls to a quart."  
Charles: "How much?"  
Harry: "Two pints." J. L.

**Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.**  
Albert and Robbie Baumer and Misses Zettie D. Harper and Mabel Johnson went to Sabinal Friday evening and to Hondo.  
Mrs. Harold Baldwin and daughter, Elizabeth, spent last Friday and Saturday visiting in Hondo.  
Miss Phoebe Jo Gibson went to Yancy Sunday evening to resume teaching after spending the holidays here at home.

Next time ask for REDSKIN TUBES.

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**C. R. GAINES**  
Hondo, Texas  
Sole Agent for Medina County.

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